

# The Daily Courant.

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A further Continuation of the Barrier Treaty.

VI. **A**S it appears by the Experience of the last War, that for putting the Frontiers of the States-General into Security, it was necessary to leave so many considerable Bodies of Troops there, that the Army was thereby much weakened: To prevent this inconvenience, and the better to secure the said Frontiers for the future, his Imperial and Catholick Majesty has given up to the States-General such Forts and Territory of the Austrian Flanders bordering upon their said Frontiers from the Schelde to the Sea, for the better covering those Parts where they cannot make Inundations upon the Lands already belonging to the States-General. For this purpose his Imperial and Catholick Majesty agrees to, and promises of, that the Limits of the States-General in Flanders shall hereafter begin at the Sea, between Blankenberg and Heyst, at the Place where there is no Downes: Provided they do not build, or permit to be built, any Villages or Housies near the said Post, nor suffer Fishermen to settle there, nor make any Sluices to the Sea there. And their High Mightinesses promise, that if they find it necessary to build any Fortifications at the Head of their new Limits, they will take Care not to diminish the Strength of the Dyke, and not only charge themselves with the Expence of the said Fortifications, but also to indemnify the Inhabitants of the Austrian Flanders from all Losses they may sustain, in case the Sea comes to make Inundations through the said Fortifications. There shall be drawn from the Post above-mentioned a direct Line to Gortwege, from whence it shall be continued towards the Heyst, from Heyst it shall go to the Dyerhoeck and Swartiluys, from thence to Fort St. Donat, which his Imperial and Catholick Majesty gives up in full Propriety and Sovereignty to their High Mightinesses (provided always that the Gates of the Sluices of the said Fort shall be left open in time of Peace) and gives up in like Manner the Land situate on the North of the Line abovementioned. From Fort St. Donat the new Limits of the States-General shall extend to Fort St. Job, from whence they fall in with the old one near Middleburg, which Line shall follow along the Zyding-Dyke as far as the Place where the Eckeloë Water-Courte and the Water-Loop meet at a Sluice. After which it shall follow the Graf-Jans-Dyke to the Village of Bouchante, (the Proprietors of the Sluices being permitted to place them where they were before) and from Bouchante the Line shall be continued straight forward to the ancient Limits of the States-General. His Imperial and Catholick Majesty gives up also in full and entire Sovereignty to the States-General, the Territory situate on the North of the said Line. And in regard that for their better Security it is necessary that the Inundation be continued from Bouchante to the Canal of the Sas of Gaant along the Graf-Jans-Dyke, it shall be permitted to their High Mightinesses in time of War to take Possession of and fortify all the Sluices that are found along the Graf-Jans-Dyke and the Zydingdyke. With respect to the Town of the Sas van Gaant, the Limits shall be extended to the Distance of 2000 Geometrical Paces, provided there be no Village included in that Space. And for the preservation of the Lower Schelde, and the Communication between the Dutch Brabant and Flanders, his Imperial and Catholick Majesty gives up to the States-General the full Propriety and Sovereignty of the Villages of Polder of Doel, as also the Polder of St. Anne and Mellecrite. And whereas in time of War there will be need, for the better Security, to make Inundations through the Sluices between the Forts of the Merre and the Pearl, his Imperial and Catholick Majesty shall do it, aforesaid as the Barrier shall be attacked or a War begin, the Guard of the Pearl Fort and the Sluices of their High Mightinesses: Provided always that all in the War is over they shall restore the said Forts and Sluices to his Imperial and Catholick Majesty, as likewise those they shall have in that time taken possession of on the Graf-Jans-Dyke and Zydingdyke. The States-General shall not make any Inundation in Times of Peace, and when in Time of War they believe themselves obliged to make them, they shall give Notice beforehand to the Governor-General of the Netherlands. Promising moreover, that if upon Occasion of the giving up to them some Sluices whereof the Inhabitants of the Austrian Flanders shall still retain the free Use in Time of Peace, any Damage or Prejudice is done, the States-General shall not only immediately remedy it, but shall also give Satisfaction to

those concerned. And seeing that by this new Creation of the Limits it will be necessary to alter the Toll-Houses to prevent Frauds, wherein his Imperial and Catholick Majesty and their High Mightinesses are equally interested, the Places for establishing the said Toll-Houses shall be agreed upon, as likewise the further Precautions that shall be thought fit to take. It is further Stipulated by this Article, that a just Valuation shall be made before the Ratification of this Treaty, of the Revenues that have accrued to the Sovereign by the renewed Grants, upon the Post they have been agreed to for 30 Years last past, to be deducted from the Annual Subsidy of 100000 Crowns. The Roman Catholick Religion shall be preserved and maintained in the same manner it is now anticipated in the Places hereby given up to the States. And in like manner all the Privileges of the Inhabitants shall be preserved and maintained. The Post of Rodenhuysen shall be razed, and the Differences concerning the Canal of Bruges shall be referred to neutral Arbitrators chosen by both Parties; provided always that by the giving up of Fort St. Donat, those of the Town of Sluys shall not have more Right upon that Canal than they had before this Cession.

XVIII. His Imperial and Catholick Majesty surrenders to their High Mightinesses for ever in full Sovereignty and Propriety in the Upper Quarter of Guelderland, the Town of Venlo, with its Precinct and Jurisdiction, and the Post of St. Michael; and more, the Post of Stevenwaert with its Territory or Jurisdiction, as also as much Land as will be wanting to augment the Fortifications on this side the Maes. And his Majesty promises that he will never build or permit to be built any Fortification of what Name soever within the Distance of half a League from the old Forts. Moreover his Imperial and Catholick Majesty gives up to the States-General the Ammanie of Montfort, consisting (with exception to the Villages of Swamit and Elm which are reserved) of the little Towns of Niestadt and Echt, with the Villages following, namely, Oke and Lach, Roodern, Bracht, Befel, Belseln, Vlodorp, Pollert, Berg, Lin and Moerfort, to be possessed by the said States-General, in the Manner as they were enjoyed by King Charles II. of Glorious Memory, with the Prefectures, Burgs, Fiefs, Lands, Franchises, Revenues, Tolls, of what Nature soever, Subsidies, Contributions and Collections, Rights, Fealties, Demesne and others whatsoever belonging to the said Places given up as aforesaid: The whole, however without Prejudice, and saving all the Rights which may belong to the King of Prussia, &c. Always provided, that this Surrender is made with this express Clause, That the Statutes, ancient Customs, and generally all the Privileges Civil and Ecclesiastical, as well with respect to the Magistrates or private Persons; that the Churches, Convents, Monasteries, Seminaries, Hospitals, and other publick Places, with all their Appurtenances and Dependencies; as also the Diocesan Rights of the Bishop of Ruremonde, and generally all that concerns the Rights, Liberties, Immunities, Functions, Usages, Ceremonies, and the Exercise of Religion, shall be prefered and subsumed without any Change or Innovation, directly or indirectly, in all the Places given up as aforesaid, in the same Manner as in the Time of King Charles the II. of glorious Memory, and as it shall be explain'd on both Sides more amply in Case any Dispute arises upon this Subject; and the Offices of Magistracy or Policy shall be given to none but such as are of the Roman Catholick Religion. The Right of Collation to Benefices, which his said Highness hitherto in the Sovereign, shall hereafter belong to the Bishop of Ruremonde; upon Condition that the said Benefices shall not be given to Persons disagreeable to the States-General, for Reasons that may be alledged. It is also stipulated, that the States-General shall not pretend to have acquir'd by the Cession of the Town of Echt, any Right of Judicature or of Appeal, with respect to the Chapter of Thyn, or other Lands of the Empire; and his said Imperial and Catholick Majesty shall be free to name such Places as he shall think fit for the said Judicature or Appeal. And seeing the Inhabitants of the Post of the Upper Quarter which is hereby surrendered, can no longer carry their Provisions in Case of Appeal to the Court of Ruremonde, it shall be free for the States-General to establish a Court of Appeal for their Subjects in what Part of the Province they think fit. It is moreover agreed, That all the Duties on Import or Export which are levied along the Maes, shall not be increased or altered.

In the Whole or in Part, due by common Consent; Of which Duties his Imperial and Catholick Majesty shall receive to his own Profit those which are paid at Ruremonde and Navigne, and the Lords the States-General those which are paid at Venlo. And as the said Duties upon the Maes in general, and those upon the Schelde subdistantly, are affected with the Payment of two distinct Annuities, to wit, one of 80000 and another of 10000 Florins per Annum, by virtue of a Transaction passed and concluded the 26th of December, 1652, with his late Majesty King William the Third of Great Britain; it is agreed, That their High-Mightinesses, by reason of the Celion abovesigned, shall supply to his Imperial and Catholick Majesty, for the Payment of the said Annuities and other Debts, a Proportion of the Produce of the Import and Export which they shall receive, the Whole according to the Constitution of the said Annuities. And as for the Debts contracted and constituted upon the Generality of the Upper Quarter, the States-General shall concur in the Payment thereof for so much as is their Quota, according to the Proportion set forth in the Marriage of all the said Upper Quarter. All the Documents and Papers which concern the Upper Quarter of Guelderland, shall remain as formerly in the Archives of Ruremonde; but it is agreed, that an Inventory or Register of them shall be made by Commissioners appointed by his Imperial and Catholick Majesty, his Prussian Majesty, and the Lords the States-General; and an authentic Copy thereof shall be given to each of the said Three Potentates, to have always free Access to all the Papers and Documents whereof they may have occasion, for the Part of the said Upper Quarter of Guelderland they each possess; and an authentic Copy of any such Papers shall be delivered them upon the first Demand.

[This shall be continued in our next.]

London, February 15.  
Yesterday, South Sea Stock was 94 three quarters to 95. Bank 128 one quarter to 128 one half. India 114 one quarter to 114 one half. Africa 17.

At the Desire of several Ladies of Quality,  
By His Majesty's Command of Our Queen.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians  
At the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane,  
To-morrow, being Thursday, the 16th of February, will be  
presented a play call'd, The Distress'd Mother. To which will be ad-  
ded a New Farce, call'd, The Cobweb.

**A**T the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, to Monday, begin Thursday, the 16th of February, will be performed in Operas, &c., with all the New Scenes, Machines and Characters belonging to an Opera. The Part of Orlando to be performed by Miss Rounthwaite. The Fire and Boxes to be put together, and no Performance to be admitted without Tickets, which will be delivered out to London, or Mrs. White's Confectionery, in the Hay-Market, between the hours of 10 and 12, and 2 and 4, and the Number box to exceed 600. Boxes upon the Stage 15s. The Gallery 2s. 6d.

By the Company of Comedians acting under Letters  
Patents granted by King Charles II.

**A**t the Theatre in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, to-morrow, being Thursday, the 10th of February, will be given a Comedy called, "The Five Cent' o' a' New' Way to play an Old Game," to which will be added a Farce, "The Court Pavilion," with Singing by the Chorus and Mrs. Finsbury, and several Entertainments of Dunning by Miss Morgan, Miss Mrs. Schooling, and Miss Cox, and of Sallie, and the Ringers, formed the last-recent Dramaque Opera of Dickens.

Lost in or about Exchange Alley - 1000-  
bill of Mandrake Night 10th. A check for 1000-  
with several accountings which would add a sum of Mr. Mar-  
tin for 200- of which remained 170- 100- and another check for  
20- both which were to be paid to Mr. W. H. Martin, 100-  
law Books and Stationery, 100- Exchange Alley, 20- The Black Sheep, 100-  
Exchange Alley, 100- and postage 100-  
Gaines Avenue, and postage 100-

Drop by a Gentleman on Thursday the  
11th, to 11th Street, a Gold and Silver  
Broker, to whom Mr. Gibbons, a Smith, in St. Andrews Church  
and near Broad Court, then have been sent to see and be  
bids asked.

In a few Days will be Published,  
The whole Proceedings upon the Articles  
of Impeachment of High-Treason exhibited by the Knights, Gentlemen  
and Peasants in Parliament assembled, in the Name of the  
King and of all the Commons of Great-Britain, against James Earl of  
Sutherland, William Lord Wellington, William James Earl of  
Nidd, Robert Earl of Carowath, William Yarrell, Earl of  
William Lord Neira, begun in Westmister-Hall on Thursday the  
29th Day of February, 1715. On which Day Judgment of High-  
Treason was given upon them. Published by Order of the House  
of Peers. Printed for Jacob Tonkin, at the Golden-Bull-Head in  
Catherine-street in the Strand.

This is give Notice to the Creditors of the  
Right Hon. Charles Thomas late Lord Fairfax, deceased, who have  
served them Debts, in order to have the Benefit of the Decree of the  
High Court of Chancery for Sale of his Estate for Payment of his  
Debts, That they do forthwith produce him securities, Bills and  
Charters which they have, before January next, given to the  
Master of the Land Court, at his House in Sackville-street, in  
order to have their Debts Stated and Allowed in the said Master's Rec-  
ords, which will be made by the end of March next; or else will they  
will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

A Collection of very valuable English Books, of Law, Divinity, History, Poetry, Voyage, &c. being the Library of Robert Brett, late of the Middle Temple, Esq; which will be sold very cheap, (the Price being put in the first leaf of each Book) this Day, the 1<sup>st</sup> Instant, and continue till the End of the Week. By J. Watkinson, Junior, Bookseller, against the Royal Exchange in Cornhill. Of whom Catalogues may be had gratis as also at the following Clerical Houses, viz. The Rainbow at Water-mill-Hall Gate, Town's in Devonport Court, and brown in Lamb's Court near the Temple, Sanc's at Lincoln's-Inn-Gate, Squires at Grey's Inn, Sargeat's at Bernard's-Inn-Gate in Holborn, and at Paul's in St. Paul's Church-Yard, N. S. The Sale begins every Morning at 9<sup>th</sup> of the Cloth, and continues till 7<sup>th</sup> in the Evening.

**One Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Five**  
Pins of Steel, Norwich and London, will be put up to Public Sale by Mr. Cramm, at the Crown Coffee-house in Threadneedle-street, behind the Royal Exchange, to-morrow, the 16th instant, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon. Which are to be seen at the Public Sale-warehouse on the Royal Exchange, till the time of sale, where Catalogues are to be had.

For SALE by the CANDLE,  
At the Marine Coffee-house in Birchall-  
lane, on Friday, the 17th instant, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, in  
Cans of Game Sausage, 10 Pounds, in 20 Lots. The same may be  
bought at the Fish Yard, No. 15, till the time of Sale. 1.00/-

For SALE by the CANDLE  
On Friday the 17th Instant, at the Marine  
Coffins house in Arch'dt-lane, at 3 Clock in the Afternoon, 68 per-  
sons, 30 Females of Indigo Colour, and 38 Barrels & Remonstrants  
Dull, one barrel in a Lot, formerly bought of the Twisted Bell-husk  
Company, in which were retained (at Mr. Bell's) the names may be seen  
every Day till the time of Sale. Catalogues are to be had at the said  
Warehouse, and Place of Sale, J. Gutteridge. Note, This is the same  
Parce of Indigo and Dull, that was advertised for Sale in the  
James's Post of the 30th of January last.

A Catalogue of very valuable Engines  
Books, being the Stock of Mr. James Taylor, Bookseller, of Chancery-lane, London, which will be Sold by Auction, at each  
Coffee-house in Broad-street, near the Royal Exchange, on Monday  
the 20th July instant, beginning every Evening at a Clock, and  
each Evening will be sold by the Seller, and his Booksellers, in the  
same Room in Little-britain, where Catalogues may be had gratis,  
also by Mr. Hinde, of the Dolphin in Mr. Paul's Church-Yard,  
Mr. Valentine and Mr. Newbold, Booksellers, Mrs. Cope near St. Paul's  
Chapel, Mrs. Waring near Dr. Dunham's Church in Fleet-street, Mr.  
Cotesworth in Albgate Church, Mr. Teare, on London-bridge,  
Southwark, and at the end of sale.

For SALE by the CANDLE.  
On Wednesday the 22d Instant, at Lloyd's  
Publick House in Lombard-street, W.C., a Clock in the Afternoon, (long  
the Case of French Wine in a Lot,) viz. 10 Cases of Excellent New  
Port Wine, 10 Cases of Claret, Kept bright, strong, fresh, of the true curious  
Flavor, 100 Drums of Cote Rotie, kept bright, strong,  
100 Drums of Sane Fumane and Tale, 100 Drums of Muscadet, of a  
very strong flavor, 100 Drums of Excellent deep Burgundy, N. & B. The  
above named French Wines are put into entire Parcels, now in a Ware  
house ready. John Hattan, Merchant, in St. Martin's Lane in Can-  
terbury. To be kept and sold on Monday the 29th, Tuesday  
the 30th, and all Wednesday the 22d Instant (as above) till the  
same be Sold by Thomas Hattan, and William Gibbons, Broker.

Just Bottled off  
choiceſt Piece of NEW PONTACK  
CLARET this day in England, perfectly neat, strong,  
and of the right delicious flavor peculiar to that  
wine. It was never drunk there but it was to be  
had in Bottles, to compare with it, at all that taste  
of a Liquor 3, 5, 6, 8, 10, Bottles, Bottles and all, also  
WALLA, WHITELINE, purple, red, fine, strong, and  
delightful, for nothing is of Body and colour so  
delightful, grow better by keeping. Price 2s 2d Dozen  
Bottles and all. Likewise the true PALM-SACK, perfectly  
matured and of an excellent taste I have  
seen it not any in Town, least to say, make  
know age, it being the most perfect flavor of  
the old wine it can never be directly near from  
from that; the longer it is kept the richer  
it becomes. Price 2s 4d a Dozen, Bottles and all. To  
be sent to Baydon, Yard in the Minories.

The Day is Published,  
The Ladies' Address to King George. A  
National Festival. Recitation of the Conduct of that Son of Man  
in their Country, to the Present Time. By a Writer, Miller to his  
King and Country. Printed for R. Dodsley, in Fleet-Street, 1752.

To Monday will be published, the 2d Edition of,  
**The Cobbler of Preston**, as it is acted at  
the Theatre Royal, Drury-lane. Written by Mr. JOHNSON, and by  
W. WILKINSON, with a Coda by L. L. L. BRASIER, and W. WILKINSON. A  
Mystery, in three acts, at the Royal-Exchange. Price, Two Shillings.

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